



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: D. Biro, et al.

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

- This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months to respond to the Office Action of October 3, 2002. Accompanying this petition is the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for extending the time in which to respond to an Office Action. Applicant is other than a small entity.
- Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any) the extended period for response expires on March 3, 2003.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-4968 in the amount of Four Hundred Ten Dollars (\$410.00). If any additional fees are due, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 19-4968.

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